Investigative and Enforcement Services

Settlement Agreement

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RESPONDENT:

Jacob Kagan, Vice President Jungle Adventures, Inc. 26205 East Highway 50 Christmas, FL 32709 CASE NUMBER

DUE ON OR BEFORE

CONTACT

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DATE CITATION DESCRIPTION

03/15/2010 9 C.F.R. § 2.8 Notification of change of name, address, control, or ownership of business. Failed to provide AC with official notification about an

additional offsite location where a lynx is being housed.

10/03/2007

9 C.F.R. § 2.40(b)(2)

Attending veterinarian and adequate veterinary care (dealers and exhibitors). Failed to use appropriate methods to prevent, control, diagnose, and treat diseases and injuries as evidenced by the failure to provide yearly leptospirosis vaccinations to two bears as recommended

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PENALTY

\$ 15,219.00

TERMS

Titles 7, 15, 19, and 21 of the United States Code authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to impose civil penalties and other sanctions to resolve violations after providing notice and opportunity for a hearing.

You may waive your right to a hearing and agree to pay the specified civil penalty in settlement of this matter. If you do not agree to the specified penalty, a complaint shall be issued charging you with the violation(s) and seeking higher penalties. You will have the opportunity for a hearing before an Administrative Law Judge to present your case.

I acknowledge that I have been given an opportunity for a hearing and waive such hearing. I neither admit nor deny the violations cited above and agree to pay the civil penalty in full settlement of this matter.

Signature of Respondent:

Date: NoV 1 0/0

PAYMENT RECORD - FOR IES USE ONLY

Payment Type	Date	Amount	Signature of IES Representative

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		in the Program of Veterinary Care (10/2007), failure to discard expired medications in various areas of the facility (02/2008, 03/2008), failure to provide veterinary care to a white tailed deer and a cougar with leg ailments or injuries (02/2008), and a fox with severe itching (3/2008), and failure to provide mammals with twice yearly fecal exams for parasites as recommended in the Program of Veterinary Care (03/2008).		
05/12/2009	9 C.F.R. § 2.131(b)(1)	Handling of animals. Failed to handle a pregnant cougar as expeditiously and carefully as possible in a manner that did not cause trauma, overheating, excessive cooling, behavioral stress, physical harm, or unnecessary discomfort. The cougar escaped in a residential area on 05/02/2009 while being transferred from one enclosure to another.		
10/03/2007	9 C.F.R. § 3.84(d)	Cleaning, sanitization, housekeeping, and pest control. Pest Control. Failed to implement an effective program for the control of insects, external parasites affecting nonhuman primates, and birds and mammals that are pests. An ant infestation and soiled floor were observed in the rhesus monkey den.		
11/04/2008 05/12/2009	9 C.F.R. § 3.127(d)	Facilities, outdoor. Perimeter Fence. Failed to ensure outdoor bear housing was properly enclosed by perimeter fencing. Failed to erect perimeter fencing around the area where a pregnant cougar was being transferred from one enclosure to another prior to its escape in a residential area on 05/02/2009.		
10/03/2007 02/06/2008 03/26/2008 05/15/2008	9 C.F.R. § 3.131(c)	Sanitation. Housekeeping. Failed to keep premises clean and in good repair. Cleaning, trash, pest carcasses and droppings, worn paint, and potential contamination issues were observed in the food commissary and/or meat thawing areas.		
05/12/2009 11/17/2009 03/15/2010	9 C.F.R. § 3.131(d)	Sanitation. Pest Control. Failed to control the large population of feral vultures and other birds in the deer enclosure. In the past, the vultures have injured animals, impeded the performance of complete necropsies, and potentially carry disease and parasitic agents.		